

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 846

By Barnes

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Sean John-Robert Settle, 2012 Valedictorian of Houston County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Sean John-Robert Settle is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2012 graduating class at Houston County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Sean Settle has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Sean has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in a number of extracurricular activities, including serving as a member of the Beta Club, as the Treasurer of the Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA), as Commander of the Houston County High Honor Guard, and as a member of Youth Leadership Houston County and the Houston County High School Concert Band; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, Sean Settle is a recipient of the Houston County Academic Award and garnered a first-place finish in the Middle Tennessee HOSA Regional competition; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Settle's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Sean's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Kenneth Settle and Teresa Settle Norris and Ray Norris, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Sean Settle's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2012 Houston County High School Valedictorian, Sean John-Robert Settle, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.